

Tintinhull Gazette

Tintinhull Public School

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Term 4 - Week 2

Thursday, 15 October 2015

Reminders

Trivia Night

Our P & C 'trivia night' is coming up on Saturday 31st October. If you can support this night it would be appreciated as all money raised will be going back into the school to benefit all the children. If you have organised a table could you please let Robyn (at the office) know so we have some idea of how many tables we need to organise. If you can't organise a table but would like to come along for the evening, again please let Robyn know.

Student Contact Detail Report

Included with last week's newsletter was an individual 'student emergency contact detail report'. We had incidences last term in which we could not contact parents when their children were sick or injured because phone numbers had been changed and we had not been notified. We are asking that you please check these reports, note any changes and return the report to school as soon as possible. Even if there are no changes to be made, please return the report to school.

Thank you to the families who have already returned their child's/children's reports.

We are aiming for a 100% return.

P & C Bunnings BBQ

The P & C are running another Bunnings BBQ on Saturday 24th October. Assistance from parents is still being sought, especially in the busy period from 10.30am to 2.30pm.

If anyone has an hour or two to spare to assist at the BBQ please see Mrs Fowler at the office.

Thank you to the parents who have already put their name down.

Scholastic Book Fair on Wheels

The 'Book Fair on Wheels' arrived at the school this morning and will be here until next Thursday 22nd October.

The Book Fair will open tomorrow morning at 9am and will then be open from 9am to 9.30am and again after school 3.30pm till 4pm. These times allow parents to view the books available.

Families may also like to buy a book or two and donate to the school library. A nameplate will be put on the inside cover acknowledging the donation.

Last year we had an overwhelming response to the book fair so let's see if we can better it this year.

The theme for this year is "Book Fair Under the Sea – Explore an Ocean of Books!"

Grandparent's Day

To coincide with the Book Fair we will have a Grandparents Day. Details are:

On Monday 19th October we will be holding an afternoon where we are inviting all grandparents to come into our school and bring a picnic lunch or bring their own lunch so they can share lunch with their grandchildren. Tea and coffee will be available. The afternoon will go as follows:

1.15pm - Grandparents arrive and have lunch with students. Book Fair will also be open at 1.30pm for grandparents and parents to browse and purchase books for their grandchildren/children or to buy books to donate to the school.

2.15pm – Grandparents join students in the classroom to have a look at all the work they have been doing

2.45pm – Everyone will meet under the COLA where the students will perform to the Grandparents

3.00pm – normal assembly will run under the COLA

3.30pm – School finishes

School Swimming/Lifesaving Program

The 2015 swimming/lifesaving program will be on from Monday 23rd November until Friday 4th December from 1.30 to 2.30pm daily. The cost for this program has not been determined as yet but is usually around \$50 per

student which includes entry into the Kootingal Pool and bus travel for the 10 days.

This year the swimming program will be offered to all students in Kindergarten to Year 3. It is also recommended that any non-swimmers or students who cannot competently swim 25m using correct stroke technique in Year 4, 5 or 6 attend. If your child is in Year 4, 5 or 6 and would like a note for Intensive swimming please see Mrs Fowler. All students in kindergarten to year 3 will receive notes with their newsletters by the end of this month.

Planned Power Outage

We have been advised by Essential Energy that there will be a planned power outage next Wednesday from 11am to 4pm. We are endeavouring to get the use of a generator to enable the school to function as close to normal as possible. We will keep you informed if any changes occur.

The phone will be one thing that may be affected. Please be patient with us at this time.

Assembly Awards

Merit Certificate:

K-1W – Hannah McPherson

1-2R – Darcy Scanlon-Freeman

3-4A – Lincoln Chapman

5-6R – Brianna Miller



Gold and Silver Certificate Awardees:

Silver – Brodie Dimevski, Amelia Wynn and Isobel Cudmore

Gold – Hannah Wynn, Mia Fletcher, Lucy Lyden, Benaiah Maybury, Matthew Rodgers, Nikita Potapov, Shanika Burkett, Koby Urquhart, Caleb Maybury and Jack Tolhurst.



PROUD Awards:



Baynen Miller, Brianna Dimevski, Ashton Holland, Darcy Scanlon-Freeman and Ella Gavin

Student of the Month

Makayla Rankin



Principal's Award

Benaiah Maybury



Dates for Your Diary

Week 3

Tuesday 21 st October	Kindergarten Orientation continues
Thursday 22 nd October	Book Fair closes at 9.30am
Saturday 24 th October	P&C BBQ at Bunnings

Week 4

Tuesday 27 th October	Kindergarten Orientation continues
Saturday 31 st October	P & C Trivia Night adults only

Week 5

Tuesday 3 rd November	Kindergarten Orientation continues
Thursday 5 th November	CAPERS rehearsal at TRECC
Friday 6 th November	CAPERS matinee and CAPERS performance
	Science in the Bush for Years 5 and 6 at Armidale UNE
Saturday 7 th November	CAPERS performance

Week 6

Tuesday 10 th November	Kindergarten Orientation finishes and Parent information afternoon at 2.45pm
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Week 7

Thursday 19 th November	Captain speeches at 9.30am
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Week 8

Monday 23 rd November	School swimming program commences 1.30 to 2.30pm Kootingal Pool
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Week 9

Friday 4 th December	School swimming program finishes
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Week 10

Thursday 10 th December	Presentation Night
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Week 11

Tuesday 15 th December	School Swimming Carnival at Kootingal Pool
Wednesday 16 th December	Last day of 2015 school year for students



**You are invited to our
SPOOK-TACULAR HAUNT**

**Be you GOBLIN or be you GHOST
A Trivia Night you'll enjoy the most.**

**Bring your food and bring your drink
And bring the brain with which you think.**

**No Babes, nor Kids at all,
Its Adults Only to play the fool
at Tintinhull Public School**

**On Saturday, October 31
Bewitching hour 7:00pm**

**Tables of 8 are there to book
at the office with Mrs Chook
or just come along to take a look**

**\$15 a head will get you in
To have much fun and a chance to win**

**The Ghostly Hosts are your P&C
Come dressed to the theme for us to see
A prize for the best you may take home
Or memories of a job well done**

We're DYING to hear from you...







